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DRIVE FOR BONDS IS ON IN NODAWAY

BANKERS PLEDGE EFFORTS TO MAKE CAMPAIGN A SUCCESS.

FORM ORGANIZATION TO CARRY ON WORK

Each Bank in County Will Become A Subscriber to the Issue and Will Pay Expenses of Campaign.

Nodaway county is going to do her part in subscribing to the second Liberty Loan. The bankers of the county decided the matter at a meeting held this afternoon, following a dinner at the Elks Club, when representatives of the twenty-one banks formed a permanent organization for an intensive campaign to have the apportionment of $720,000 subscribed.

There was no half-heartedness about the manner in which the bankers took the matter up. They were a unit in declaring that Nodaway county must do its part in helping to finance the war and in agreeing to give of their time and money to this end.

A permanent organization was formed with an executive committee composed of George B. Baker of the Real Estate Bank as chairman; E. C. Donlin of the Bank of Hopkins, secretary; F. H. Casteel of the Platte Valley Bank of Ravenwood, treasurer. Chairman Baker will name two other members to fill out the executive committee of five.

It was agreed that the banks in the county subscribe for designated amounts of the bonds, prorated as per capital and surplus and that the expenses incurred in putting the campaign over be borne collectively.

It was agreed that the people of Nodaway county, especially the farmers, must needs be educated to the importance of subscribing to the Liberty Loan and various committees will undertake a publicity and educational campaign to this end.

The Liberty Loan issue was practically the only subject discussed at the meeting and some interesting and enthusiastic speeches were made by both the visiting bankers and representatives from Maryville banks. The executive committee has planned for an immediate meeting to devise ways and means for carrying on the campaign and further announcements will be made as plans are developed.

The visiting bankers were: C. D. Caldwell, president and C. I. Hann, cashier, First National Bank, Burlington Junction; R. N. Barber, cashier Northwestern National Bank Burlington Junction; George P. Shoptaugh, president Farmers & Merchants Bank, of Elmo; F. H. Casteel, assistant cashier, Platte Valley Bank of Ravenwood; Jas. T. Duncan, State Bank Examiner, St. Joseph; Chas. Teson, assistant cashier Bank of Conception, Clyde; A. P. Stechman, cashier Citizens Bank, Elmo; Dr. M. M. Pollard, president Farmers and Citizens Bank, Barnard; O. L. Mutti, cashier and Jas. C. Pistole, president Farmers & Merchants Bank of Hopkins; E. C. Wolfers, president and E. C. Donlin cashier, Bank of Hopkins; Arthur Thompson, cashier Citizens Bank of Guilford; H. W. Montgomery, cashier Farmers Bank Skidmore; C. F. Sisson, cashier and J. W. Kennedy, president, Farmers Bank of Parnell; Roy H. Wolfers, cashier Bank of Pickering; Frank X. Berg, president and Roy Fitzsimmons, cashier Farmers Bank, Conception Junction.

Bankers representing Maryville banks in attendance at the meeting were: S. G. Gilliam, Fred Wolfers and Jos. Jackson Jr., of the First National; Geo. L. Wilfley and G. Robb Ellison, of the Farmers Trust Company; J. B. Robinson and John D. Richey of the Nodaway Valley Bank; Geo. B. Baker of the Real Estate Bank. President C. W. Yehle and Secretary E. M. Claypool, of the Maryville Commercial Club were invited guests.

TWO CERTIFIED BY BOARD

O. T. McClurg and J. S. Dobbins Had Examinations Transferred to Sioux Falls, S. Dak.

Orville T. McClurg and Joseph Samuel Dobbins of Maryville have been certified by the district board at Sioux Falls, S. Dak., to the local board for the draft army. McClurg and Dobbins registered here June 5, but had their examination transferred to South Dakota. They will leave with the next contingent from this county.

The board received a card today stating that Ralston Jarred McClain of Skidmore had enlisted in the navy at Kansas City.

WILL COMMANDEER COAL

Government Issues Order That Railroads Must be Kept Running—Another Order to Come.

Washington, Oct. 11.—The full power of the government was exerted today to solve the coal shortage problem when the first commandeering order was issued under the order issued by Dr. Garfield. The Pennsylvania railroad, which serves seven hundred mines will be supplied with bituminous products on a pro rata basis. "The railroads must be kept running," said the official statement, ordering the preparation that will commandeer coal for all other important railroad systems of the nation. This will be followed by a third order commandeering fuel for commercial use.

POST OFFICE TO CASH BONDS

It Will be an Easy Matter to Get Your Interest Payments on Liberty Loans.

Washington, Oct. 11.—To obtain interest on Liberty bonds when due will be as simple and convenient as calling for one's mail, Postmaster General Burleson today announced in a letter to Secretary McAdoo.

A bondholder may receive his interest by merely presenting his coupons, or treasury warrants issued in payment of interest, on registered bonds, to any postmaster. They will be cashed immediately. Postmasters will be reimbursed from Washington for all coupons and warrants which they cash.

In the interest of bondholders, the postmaster general has issued special instructions to postmasters to honor both coupons and warrants upon presentation.

The United States treasury, subtreasuries, and banks also will pay interest when due, as heretofore. Postoffices simply are designated as additional agencies for cashing when due and presented for payment the coupons and interest warrants on Liberty loan bonds.

LEFT PROPERTY TO SISTER.

Will of Mrs. Martha Graves, of Quitman Filed for Probate.

The will of Mrs. Martha Ann Graves of Quitman was filed for probate this morning. In her will Mrs. Graves leaves her home and all personal property to her sister, Margaret Jane Hunter, of Quitman and to two grand children, Andrew J., and Geneva M. Rutherford, a bequest is made of one dollar to each. Margaret Jane Hunter is also named as executrix. Mrs. Graves died at her home in Quitman on October 4, last.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Phillips of Hamburg, Ia., were in Maryville yesterday attending to business.

TO THE MEMBERS OF NODAWAY COUNTY CHAPTER AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS.

By order of the executive committee of said chapter, you are hereby notified that the annual meeting of said chapter will be held at Maryville, Mo., Wednesday, October 17, 1917, at seven o'clock p. m. in the County Court room at Court House.

All members are requested to be present.

NODAWAY COUNTY CHAPTER,
F. P. Robinson, Secretary.

THE YOUNG LADIES OF ST. MARY'S CHURCH WILL GIVE A ONE-ACT DRAMA, PARCEL POST AND CANDY SALE

TUESDAY NIGHT. OCT. 16,

AT THE CHURCH. REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED.

nights and Ladies of ecurity—

Business Meeting
Installation of Officers

Friday Night, October 12
at 8 o'Clock p. m.

—I. O. O. Hall

THE TRIP VIA AUTO

BIG DELEGATION URGED FOR THE ROAD MEET AT CHILLICOTHE.

NODAWAY TO GET BUSY

Federal Money For Road Building is Ready and Other Counties Are Asking Their Share.

With good weather on next Wednesday, October 17, a sociability run is being planned by the good roads committee of the Commercial Club to go to Chillicothe to attend the big road meet to be held there. If the weather is bad the trip will be made via railroad.

"This is to be a very important meeting and it is up to Maryville to send a large and enthusiastic delegation," said a member of the committee today. "The subject of state hard-surfaced roads will be considered in detail. One million dollars has been appropriated for good roads in Missouri by the federal government, and the state highway commission will match it, dollar for dollar.

"Nodaway county should be one of the early birds to catch the worm. Cross state roads have already been started in other parts of the state. If a few more counties get ahead of us, it may be a number of years before we are successful in getting a share of the appropriations. Therefore it is incumbent upon us to attend the Chillicothe meeting next week in large numbers.

Governor Gardner, Harry Hawes and George E. McIninch, St. Joseph member of the state highway commission, will be among the speakers at the Chillicothe meeting. If the weather is too bad to make the trip by motor car, Maryville persons are urged to go by train.

IOWANS TAKE NO CHANCES

Graceland College Football Team Will Arrive This Evening For Game With Normal Tomorrow.

Graceland College football team, Lamoni, Ia., evidently intends to take no chances with Coach Palfreyman's huskies in the game tomorrow afternoon, and will be in condition to give the Bearcats a real battle. The Graceland team was not expected until Friday morning, but word was received today by Athletic Director Walter Hanson that they would make the trip from Lamoni in automobiles and would arrive in Maryville this evening at 7 o'clock. Had they postponed arrival until tomorrow they would have been handicapped for play after being up all night. Fifteen men will come for the game.

Graceland is the largest Latter Day Saints school in the United States, with students from over the world. The star of last season's team was Shipman, an Hawaiian, who played in the backfield. In the game last year Maryville played Graceland to 6-6 tie.

The Bearcats had a final workout yesterday perfecting team work and signals and each man on the team is confident he will be able to give a good account of himself in tomorrow's game.

SELLS "MACO" PRINT SHOP

Ed Brewer Purchases Job Plant From W. H. Gilbert — Takes Possession Monday.

Ed Brewer, foreman of the Democrat-Forum job shop for the past three years, purchased today the Maco Print Shop from W. H. Gilbert. Mr. Brewer will take possession Monday.

Mr. Gilbert has been in the printing business in Maryville for the past seven years. He came here from Fillmore, Mo. He will remain with Mr. Brewer until the first of December, but has announced no definite plans for the future.

"The Royal Pauper," Coming.

"The Royal Pauper," is the second picture to be shown in the lyceum course at the Christian church, the date having been changed from Monday to Tuesday night. "The Royal Pauper" is one of the big productions of filmdom and will doubtless draw a large crowd.

Market
by Ladies' of Centenary Church, Kessler's Hardware
"Good Things to Eat"

FOR SOLDIER BOYS

BENEFIT CONCERT SUNDAY AFTERNOON AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

TO AID CHRISTMAS FUND

Maryville's Best Local Talent Will Give Program of Unusual Merit. —Take Silver Offering.

The concert to be given Sunday afternoon at the First Christian church under the auspices of the Surgical Dressings units for the benefit of the Christmas fund for our soldiers will prove of more than usual interest, the best local talent in the city contributing to the program. No admission will be charged but a silver offering will be taken. Three o'clock is the hour announced. Following is the program:

1—Pipe organ and piano duett—Military March, (Clark), Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eversole.

2—Vocal (a) Calm as the Night, (Bohm), (b) The Prayer Perfect, (Stenson), Mr. William Nielsen.

3—Piano Impromptu Op. 36, (Chopin), Carrie Margaret Baker.

4—Vocal duet—Still, Still With Thee, (Lansing), Mrs. F. P. Robinson and Mr. Gilbert S. Cox.

5—Pipe organ—(a) Andantino (Lemare), (b) Evensong, (Johnston), Mr. Ralph Eversole.

6—Pipe organ—Vorspiel (Overture) to Lohengrin, (Wagner), Mr. Ralph Eversole.

7.—Vocal—A Song of Thanksgiving (Allitsen), Mrs. F. P. Robinson.

8—Vocal — O Divine Redeemer, (Gounod), with piano, organ and violin accompaniment, Rev. Gilbert S. Cox.

9—Pipe organ and piano duet—Lucia Di Lammermoor, (Donizetti), Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eversole.

OPEN AIR CONCERTS TO END

After Tonight Programs Will Be Given On Sunday Afternoons At The Empire Theatre.

Tonight's open air band concert in the court house yard will be the last of the season. Beginning with Sunday, October 21, concerts will be held during the winter months in the Empire Theatre. It is planned to make the Sunday afternoon events especially attractive with special numbers that will include some out of town talent. There will be no concert next Sunday on account of the benefit concert for the soldiers' Christmas fund to be held at the Christian church.

The program for tonight's concert is as follows:

March—"Robinson's Grand Entree," (King).

"The First Heart Throbe," (Eilenberg).

One-step—"Sailin' Away on the Henry Clay," (Danmark).

Intermezzo — "Shades of Night," (Franklin).

Fox Trot — "Huckleberry Finn," (Schulz).

Overture—"The Belle of the Village (Beyer).

A Trombone Meow—"That's It Rag" (Fahaer).

March Militaire —"Preparedness," (Losey).

To Launch State Movement.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Mo., Oct. 11.—Missouri's new food administrator, Frederick B. Mumford, dean of the Missouri College of Agriculture, is expected to attend a meeting here Monday in the interest of state-wide food conservation. All chairmen of county councils of defense in the state are expected to be present to launch a food increase and conservation move under direction from Washington. At least two assistants of Food Director Hoover will be here.

Rob Express Agent of $6,000.

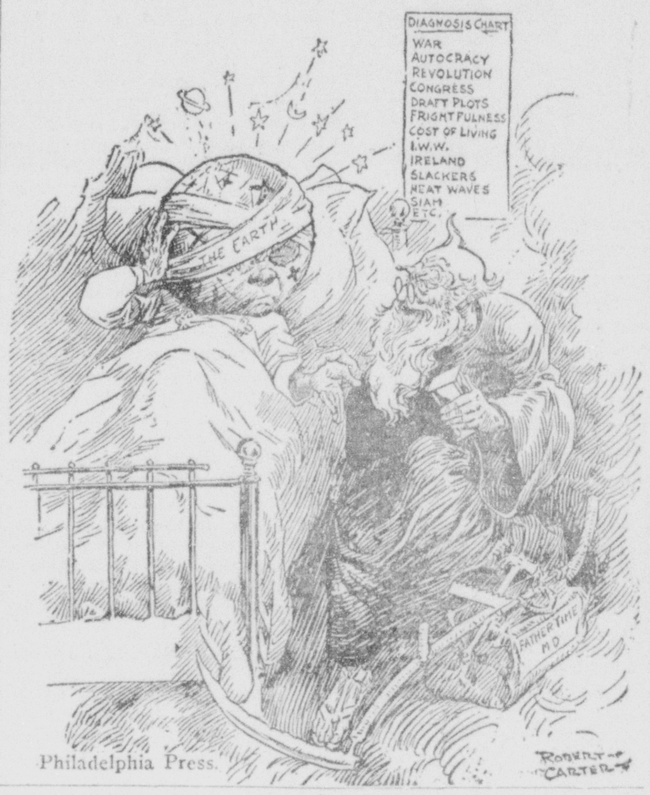
Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Hoboken, N. J., Oct. 11. — Holding two Adams express company employes in loading station here early today five masked robbers secured $6,000 and made their escape. They shot one employee. Policemen engaged the bandits in a running battle as they fled. It is thought one was wounded. Two hundred men were at work in the building at the time.

E. C. Wolfers Sr., and C. E. Donlin of Hopkins, and Roy Wolfers of Pickering are in Maryville today attending the Bankers' luncheon.

Women operate taxicabs in Washington, D. C.

OUTSIDE OF THAT HE'S ALL RIGHT



Philadelphia Press.

HEAR EMBREE CASE

INTERESTING TRIAL IS ON IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TODAY.

NEIGHBOR IS A WITNESS

Animal Alleged to Have Been Shot Belonged to Chas. Wells—Expect Verdict This Evening.

A case of peculiar interest from several viewpoints is being tried in circuit court today, it being the prosecution of Brint R. Embree by the state on a charge of maliciously wounding an animal. Questions of rights of property owners in protection of crops is being brought out, together with the fact malice might have had a part in the specific act charged. The complaint on which the prosecution bases action is that Embree maliciously shot a steer belonging to Charles Wells, a neighbor of the Embrees, the latter being the prosecuting witness in the case.

The defense makes claim for acquittal of the charge on the ground that the Wells cattle had repeatedly made depredations in the Embree fields and that efforts to keep them out were without avail and that when the matter was brought to the attention of Wells nothing was done to keep the cattle from further trespass.

County Attorney Sawyers is being assisted in the prosecution by Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison. Cook and Cummins are representing the defendant. The jury is composed of:

Brice Wilson
Wm. Davenport
Fred Wright
W. W. Alexander
Frank Johnston
Joe Alexander
L. A. Nigh
Tom McGarry
Lee Teson
Henry Heitman
James McGinness
C. A. McCoppin

The arguments to the jury are being made this afternoon and a verdict is expected before court adjourns this evening.

May Be Called To Hopkins.

Rev. J. K. Sawyers of Maryville, preached at the Presbyterian church here both morning and evening last Sunday. Rev. Sawyers has had for a number of years the charge taken by Rev. Seelig at Savannah and recently moved on a farm near Maryville. An effort may be made, says the Hopkins Journal, to secure him as pastor of the church here, coming next Sunday to again fill the pulpit.

LaFollette Would Be Heard.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Oct. 11.—Senator LaFollete this afternoon wrote to the subcommittee investigating his St. Paul speech asking the privilege of being heard and of summoning witnesses to testify in his behalf.

W. A. Webster of Bedford, Ia., was in Maryville on business yesterday.

HEARD BABY'S CRY?

MRS. BISHOP TOLD OF UNUSUAL SOUND NEAR PIERSOL HOME.

PIERSOL IS RECOGNIZED

Club Groundkeeper Ordered Accused Man Away Night of Kidnapping —State to Close Today.

Marshfield, Mo., Oct. 11.—The state in the prosecution of the charges against the prisoners in the Keet kidnapping case announced that they would have their evidence all in today.

Paul Lockman, ground keeper at the Springfield Country Club, rose from the witness stand and dramatically pointed to Claude J. Piersol, and swore Piersol was one of the men who drove up in two cars at the Country Club entrance about 9 o'clock on the night of May 30, just a few minutes after Mr. and Mrs. J. Holland Keet had arrived there to attend a ball. He testified that when he ordered them to drive away from the entrance that Piersol told him to "go to hell," and that the car Piersol was driving then headed in the direction of the Keet home nearby. In this car, he testified, were a man, a woman and another young man besides Piersol. Baby Keet was kidnapped the night of May 30.

Heard Stifled Cry of Baby.

Mrs. Matt Bishop, wife of the constable of Billings, Mo., whose home is located about two hundred yards from the home of the late Josh Piersol, grandfather of Claude Piersol, testified this afternoon that Friday, June 1, about 9 o'clock in the morning she thought she heard the cry of a baby which was suddenly hushed. She was in her garden at the time, she said, and walked toward the house, which brought her nearer to the Piersol home, and that again she heard the stifled cry. She testified that the nearest baby lived some distance away and

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REICHSTAG STIRRED

NEWS OF MUTINY IS GREETED WITH SHOUTS AND DISORDER.

THE SOCIALISTS BLAMED

Harsh As Were Penalties Inflicted on the Mutineers, They Fell Short of Demand By Kaiser.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Copenhagen, Oct. 11.—More than three thousand sailors and several members of the Reichstag were involved in the mutiny in the German navy which broke out late in August, according to information received here from a German naval port. Whether there is any connection between the outbreak in the navy and the mutinous uprising among the German soldiers on the western front is not known, but it is assumed here that there was. The ring leaders were severely dealt with a number being executed and heavy penalties were imposed on others. Harsh as they were, they fell short of the penalties demanded personally by the Kaiser. Unrest in the German navy continues despite the stern measures that have been taken.

London, Oct. 11.—A dispatch from Amsterdam says that at the conclusion of Admiral Von Shapelle's statement in the Reichstag on the mutiny in the German navy there were scenes of a most disorderly character, the shouts from the other deputies being heard loud above the furious interruptions of the Socialists.

Advices received from Berlin are to the effect Chancellor Michaelis declared the punishments inflicted on the men at Wilhelmshaven were not unjust, papers found on them indicating they had bound themselves to recognize the principles of the Independent Socialists and proving that that party had carried on an extensive agitation in the fleet.

The chancellor is reported to have added that the Independent Socialists belonged to a party in which he could place no confidence as they were endangering the state.

GIANTS WIN 4TH GAME OF SERIES

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Polo Grounds, New York, Oct. 11.—The New York Giants made it two straight today when they took another game from the Chicago White Sox 5-0. The series now stands two games each with the fifth game scheduled for Saturday at Chicago.

The game by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	r.	h.	e.
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0
New York	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	x	5	10	1

Batteries: Chicago, Faber and Danfort, pitchers, Schalk. New York, Schupp and Rariden.

Orkley Colvin of Kansas City arrived in Maryville last night to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Colvin, and his sister, Mrs. Alpha Bishop.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy; colder tonight in the west and north portions with killing frost in the northwest portion. Friday fresh shifting winds becoming northwest.

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
5 and 10 cents

Paramount Pictures, with
Wallace Reid and Myrtle Stedman
The First Appearance Together
The Prison without Walls
A Remarkable Story of Prison Life.
Tomorrow—"ROSIE O'GRADY."

FOOT BALL
GRACELAND (Iowa) COLLEGE
vs.
STATE NORMAL SCHOOL
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 3:30 p. m. Normal Grounds
A Good Game Assured.
Admission 35c Season Ticket $1.50

Townsend's

Fourth and Main Streets

Friday Bargain Sale

Quality the Best
Prices the Lowest

Pickled Pork, extra good quality, per lb	25c
Very Best Pea Berry Roasted Coffee, per lb	22c
10lb Sacks Whole Wheat Flour	60c
Best Country Sorghum, gal	85c
40 bu. Good Preserving Pears, per bushel	$1.40
Home Grown Comb Honey, in gallon jars, per lb	16 2-3c
Sauer Kraut, per gallon	25c
New Apple Butter, in Mason Jars, each	20c
New Apple Butter, in Sanitary cans, each	10c
Best Creamery Butter, per lb	47c
Fresh Turnips (good ones), one-half bushel	35c
8lb Dry Onions	25c
Solid Northern Cabbage, 8lb	25c
Fancy Cream High Patent Flour, 48lb sacks	$2.95
Big Assortment Cotton or Kersey Gloves and Mittens, per pair	10c to 25c
Peaches (Plenty Choice Elbertas), per bushel	$1.90
Libby's Chicken Soup, none better per can	10c
2lb Home Grown Navy Beans	25c
No. 2 can Van Camp's Spaghetti (ready cooked)	15c

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* WE PAY SPOT CASH— *
* Bring us your Butter, Eggs, *
* Lard, Beans, Potatoes or any *
* salable article — No amount *
* too large for us. *
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Palm Olive Toilet Soap (If you come to store for it), 3 cakes	25c
10 bars Bob White Laundry Soap	39c
10c pkg. Cow Soda	7c
Karo Maple Syrup, can	20c
Pure Cider Vinegar (bring your jug), gallon	25c
3 Boxes Best and Cheapest Matches	10c
Carton of 12 boxes for	35c
Mammoth Celery	10c
2 Qts. Cranberries	25c

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* WITH YOUR ORDER FRIDAY *
* Include 11lb Sack Fine Gran- *
* ulated Sugar for 88c *
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No. 2 Cans Red Beans	10c
Huyler's Cocoa ½lb cans	18c
Mazola Cooking Oil, pint cans	28c
Quart cans	55c
Gallon Cans	$2.15
Quinces, 2 for	5c
Bartlett Pears, basket	25c
Tokay Grapes, per lb	10c
Fancy Quality Brick Cheese lb	35c
Highest Grade Butterine, 1lb Prints 22c; 2 for	65c
Sunkist Oranges, per doz 25c, 35c, 45c	
Fresh Country Eggs, 2 doz	65c
Bu. Hampers Home Grown Sweet Potatoes	$1.75
Bu. Hampers Southern Grown Sweet Potatoes	$1.50

Less than bushel lots at 6lb for 25c (for either kind).

Four Deliveries Daily

Townsend's

Fourth and Main Streets—CASH GROCERY

HOPKINS MEN GOT LOST

Then Solemnly Aver They Had Nothing Stronger Than Buttermilk.

Mack McCleave, Jim Allen, Elmer Beauchamp and John Campbell left Hopkins in high spirits last Tuesday their destination being Tarkio, to attend the Rankin Hereford cattle sale, says the Hopkins Journal. They stayed for the big banquet that night and evidently left there in "just as high spirits," as they left Hopkins, for they got lost, driving all night as they supposed towards home but when day dawned, the quartet was away out in Nebraska instead of at home. All solemnly swear they had nothing stronger than buttermilk to drink and cannot account for getting off the road. Mr. Allen was to furnish the gas and work a day for Elmer Beauchamp for the ride over and it will be rather expensive for him as they burned gas "to beat the band" several hundred miles, and were away so long Jim will now have to work a week instead of a day for his neighbor.

A marriage license was issued today to James Ulmer and Bertha West of Hopkins.

Miss Mary Wolfers of Pickering is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolfers of Maryville.

Mrs. H. B. Cushman and little son, are visiting relatives in Gilman City.

Relief from Eczema

Don't worry about eczema or other skin troubles. You can have a clear, healthy skin by using a little zemo, obtained at any drug store for 35c, or extra large bottle at $1.00.

Zemo generally removes pimples, blackheads, blotches, eczema, and ringworm and makes the skin clear and healthy. Zemo is a clean, penetrating, antiseptic liquid, neither sticky nor greasy and stains nothing. It is easily applied and costs a mere trifle for each application. It is always dependable.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

FAMILY REFUSED TO MOVE

Tenant Contended Baby Made No More Noise Than the Owner's Barking Dog.

There is a baby in an East End family, and the owner of the house in which the family lives is a woman who owns a dog. The baby cries and the dog barks and howls, says the Indianapolis News.

The family with the baby went on a vacation trip recently, and during their absence the landlady decided she preferred a different tenant—one without a crying baby. So she notified the family to move out.

When the father asked for an explanation she told him she was tired of being annoyed by the baby.

That "riled" the proud papa.

"You don't like a baby?" he retorted. "You don't like the baby because it cries? And you live with that dog that barks and howls all day long? A crying baby is no more a nuisance than a barking, howling dog."

He informed the landlady that he would move out with the baby when she got rid of the dog, but not before. There was no change in the situation at last reports.

Chance the Farmers Missed.

A great opportunity for amassing wealth has slipped out of the hands of every farmer and gardener this year, simply because they did not know how to grasp the opportunity, and there was nobody to tell them about it. The disappointment is temporary; the opportunity will return, says the Boston Transcript.

Golden seal root, for instance, is wanted by druggists, and is worth $12 a pound, and it might have been grown in quantities in the United States. The farmer who had seen the possibilities in its culture could have reaped a rich harvest. And many American families will remember the time when the arnica flower was a common flower, which the old folks saved and used for a home remedy for sprains, but the commercial prospect in its culture has not been realized and it has been allowed to disappear until now it is worth $5 a pound. Druggists will be glad to pay that much money for it.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

Women In The War

By G. KAY SPENCER

"THREE MUSKETEERS."

Midnight and moonlight. A soft snow has been falling all through a day of chilly suffering in one of the wildest passes of the Carpathian range. The soft diffused light of the quarter moon is scintillating from a crystal plain slanting on down the mountain side. In the passes four thousand feet above the sea ghostly icicles throttle every bush and cling to every tree and overhanging ledge.

The snow had ceased to fall. Fairy white cloud clusters are rushing before a gale in the upper air and every few seconds a deep shadow races through the passes and down the steeps as some flying cloud glides over the placid face of the moon.

A minute speck seems to be moving far down the snow slope. As the struggling mite draws slowly and painfully up the mountain a stir takes place in the pass. A rifle is couched cautiously over a hardened bank of snow. The eye behind the sights is satisfied, and a benumbed finger presses the trigger. A flash in the moon light, and a sharp report goes reverberating through the venerable tier of ice clad summits.

The mote on the snow wavers — struggles, and seems to lose its footing, and soon, at a terrific speed, is rolling down the mountain.

The tragedy is witnessed by other eyes.

Not two hundred feet from that speck on the illimitable ice are two other souls abroad on the wastes. And the trio form an Austrian patrol endeavoring to penetrate the lines of a Cossack regiment's advanced outposts.

The remaining two members proceed undiscovered by the sentinel. A soul endowed with ubiquity might find, if observing the faces of these heroes, great tears rolling from mild blue eyes—not tears that denote a weakness—tears that it could not be human to suppress, or, possibly feminine. For these three were women.

They perform their reconnoitering task successfully and return to their camp.

The sentence is easily written, but a world of horror and of agony lies within it.

Upon the return they have to report the death on duty—heroic duty—of Kadett-Aspirant Olech Stepaniv, known in the days of peace as Fraulein Olena Stepaniv, a blue-eyed girl of the class in philosophy at the University of Lemberg.

Her obituary, carried in the Vienna papers, tells of happy care-free childhood in her father's rectory, of her zeal in gymnastics and sports. She was a Ukrainian from eastern Galicia and at college was prominent in forming the Ukrainian Stischower Schutzenverein with the purpose of some day striking a blow for the liberating of Ukrainia and Poland. It was the pressure of events that threw her on the Austrian side. She met the stalking death on many a hard-fought sanguinary field and was thrice decorated and promoted. It was at Annaberg that she could with difficulty control her tears of emotion and give a stiff military salute, when the silver medal was pinned upon her breast by General F. for distinguished conduct in a flank attack on the heights of Komannicka.

A fellow student and fellow warrior of this heroine was Fraulein Haletschko, who was five years her senior. They were schoolmates at Lemberg, but Fraulein Haletschko was in the medical classes. When last heard of she was severely wounded and lying in pain in a reserve hospital in Vienna. She is quite pretty, of regular features and delicate mold, blond and girlish.

She had just finished her medical course and received her diploma as a doctor when the great war struck. Then Lemberg was taken by the Russians and she joined the Ukrainian Legion. For nearly a year she underwent all the hardships of a strenuous campaign, a part of the time in the dead of winter, in the wild passes of the Carpathians and in the mountains of the Bukowina range without loss of health or good looks.

Fraulein Haletschik, after a brief season of drilling, showed remarkable gifts as a scout and ranger. In the "Ssitch" (the Ukrainian name for the legion) she earned the reputation of being utterly fearless and of general excellence in reconnoitering. She was enrolled for a short time with the cavalry, becoming sergeant-major, and was twice decorated for extraordinary bravery.

She was one who dropped shameless tears on the mountain ice that moonlit night as she watched a true friend roll down—she hoped—dead. For to be wounded was, by far, worse than death.

Then there was Irene Kus, who wears her hair short and strides like a man.

During the bloody struggles for the possession of the Makovka Mountain she ran in the hottest fire up to a corner where a Maxim gun was dealing death and destruction, carrying hand grenades, and throwing them with a skill that drew breaths of admiration from friend and foe.

To see her "out there" in a hell of flames and death cooly putting her grenades until one, so skillfully thrown as to destroy men and guns, relieves the Austrians from a perilous situation, is to admire.

The captain in command kissed her.

Her fate after that engagement is a mystery.

So, these are "The Three Musketeers."

There are emotions generated in the breasts of humans that cry for expression, but that expression is denied them simply because the majesty of them—the grandeur and the power of them—actually forbid it.

Such emotions are auto-intoxicating. The psychosis of the feeling of camaraderie between these three young women in the hells of battle, the intense cold of dreary nights and the wearisome trudging under heavy packs on long marches could only be communicated between them in a tender glance—a carrying of a double pack for weary miles when the friend is ill—a companionship willingly given on lonely sentry go and, in the hour of battle, when they are about to face their God, the utter abandonment of the ego for the trio—for the legion—and the army.

It is kismet.

Excursion to Colorado.

Personally conducted by ALLEN BROTHERS of Maryville, Mo., to look at some land that they have recently taken under control. Will leave here Tuesday, October 16. **Good soil, good water, healthy climate** — A delightful place to live. Everybody making money and happy — And why not? You can buy 10 acres there for the price of one acre here, and on easy terms. An acre of wheat this year paid for three acres of ground. Better inquire about this now and have your ticket ordered. 11

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Anyone who tries this pleasant tasting home-made cough syrup, will quickly understand why it is used in more homes in the United States and Canada than any other cough remedy. The way it takes hold of an obstinate cough, giving immediate relief, will make you regret that you never tried it before. It is a truly dependable cough remedy that should be kept handy in every home, to use at the first sign of a cough during the night or day time.

Any druggist can supply you with 2½ ounces of Pinex (60 cents worth). Pour this into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. The total cost is about 65 cents and you have a full pint of the most effective remedy you ever used.

The quick, lasting relief you get from this excellent cough syrup will really surprise you. It promptly heals the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages, stops the annoying throat tickle, loosens the phlegm, and soon your cough stops entirely. Splendid for bronchitis, croup, whooping cough and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of Norway pine extract, and is famous the world over for its healing effect on the membranes.

To avoid disappointment ask for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

NIAGARA KEEPS ARMIES WELL

Chlorine, Used in Water, Kills the Germs of Disease, Yet Leaves the Drinker Untouched.

In the trenches of Europe there must be pure water, lest epidemic disease sweep over them, destroying more than the shells, shrapnel and machine guns of the enemy; and Niagara comes forward with chlorine, or an allied product, which kills the germs of disease, yet leaves the drinker untouched.

In the simplest forms, the process of breaking up salt and getting command of the qualities of the two elements in it consists of dissolving about one part of common salt in eight parts of water and passing a given current of electricity through it. The resultant fluid is a great bleacher and disinfectant. A gallon of it will kill all the germs in a day's drinking water of a city like Washington.

A thousand American cities sterilize their water with these products of Niagara, which have done more than any other agency in the hands of the sanitarians to wipe out water-borne epidemics. In the hospitals of France and England they form the active part of mixtures used to sterilize the wounds of the soldiers.—National Geographic Magazine.

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Cloaks—

You will find here the largest and best selected stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Cloaks in Nodaway county and at the lowest prices.

One lot of Ladies' last season's Cloaks, good warm garments, will be closed out Friday and Saturday at each **$5**

A wonderful line of other Cloaks from **$7.75 to $87.50**

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House Dresses and Aprons—

We have a very large stock of House Dresses and Coverall Aprons and are very anxious to reduce the stock—Your choice Friday and Saturday at **20 per cent off**

Skirts—

Buy a new Skirt Friday and Saturday at these cut prices:

$6.75 to $7.50 Skirts will be **$5.65**
$8.75 to $9.50 Skirts will be **$7.35**
$10.00 to $12.00 Suits will be **$8.85**
$13.50 to $15.00 Suits will be **$11.95**

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The Busy Store With Little Prices.

HEARD BABY'S CRY?

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that she saw no one pass on the road. Josh Piersol was killed by a train about June 19.

William Lomson, night watchman at Billings, testified that on the night of May 31, he saw a motor car drive down the road leading to Grandfather Piersol's home, and that on the following night he saw another car going the same way. He did not see who were in the automobiles.

To Complete Testimony Today.

R. H. McMann, a policeman of Springfield, testified that on the night of May 31, when J. Holland Keet made his drive through the storm in an effort to meet the abductors of his baby and pay the $6,000 ransom, he saw Claude Piersol standing in front of a dry goods store on the public square about 2.30 a. m. McMann said he and other officers at the time were preparing to follow Mr. Keet's trail. Mr. Keet's drive started from this store.

During the trial Piersol sits calmly, the only sign of nervousness being a habit of continually batting his eyes. He frequently confers with his attorneys.

The state today announced that it expected to be through by noon. The prosecution expects to use its handwriting experts tomorrow.

No Recommendation.

Signor Marconi, in an interview in Washington, praised American democracy.

"Over here," he said, "you respect a man for what he is himself—not for what his family is—and thus you remind me of the gardener in Bologna who helped me with my first wireless apparatus.

"As my mother's gardener and I were working on my apparatus together a young count joined us one day, and while he watched us work the count boasted on his lineage.

"The gardener, after listening a long while, smiled and said:

"'If you come from an ancient family, it's so much the worse for you, sir; for, as we gardeners say, the older the seed the worse the crop.'"

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A SAFE TEST.

For those who are in need of a remedy for kidney troubles and backache it is a good plan to try Doan's Kidney Pills. They are strongly recommended by Maryville people.

Miss Harriet McClurg, 409 E. Thompson street, Maryville, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills were just the thing in my case. I was troubled by pain and weakness in my back, hips and loins and could hardly get about. My kidneys acted too often and caused me great annoyance. Doan's Kidney Pills cured all those troubles and my health is now good." (Statement given September 19, 1908.)

On June 12, 1916, Miss McClurg said: "It certainly is a pleasure to confirm my former recommendation for Doan's Kidney Pills. It has been a long time since I have had to use them, so I consider the benefit permanent."

60c at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Guy Plummer and Frank Potts of Burlington Junction were in Maryville on business yesterday.

WHY WE MUST HAVE the HORSE

by Forrest Crissey

Several times we have almost said good-bye to the horse, but he is surviving the automobile, the tractor, the motor truck and the war. We need him now and for the future—this article tells why. Other subjects in this week's issue are:

Foods From the Freezer
An Agricultural Somersault
Perfect Pigs

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BOY BABES AS LOOT

KAISER CARRIES MALE CHILDREN OFF TO GERMANY.

HORRORS A NURSE SAW

Hundreds of French Girl Babes, Maimed and Insane, Huddled in Caves with Disease.

(By Joseph Pierson)

Paris. — A low, crooning, strange, pitiful, penetrating—like winds in a cave—filled the air.

"What's that?" cried an American woman, leaning forward to speak to an English chauffeuse, who for two years had looked on the most horrible of wars.

A tear rolled down the driver's cheeks.

"The children of France."

"It sounds like a great dove cote."

The chauffeuse shook her head and stared over the landscape, marred by the recent ravages of war, as they sped by. The evening was falling like a mourning veil of gauze over the somber view. The road was vacant, but the surrounding hedges and trees seemed filled with the soft, penetrating murmur.

A Worn, Torn Town.

Suddenly bursting through the maze of beautiful foliage and under arched horse chestnut trees, the automobile entered the streets of a French town in the Amiens section, recently evacuated by the Germans. The cannon of the Germans had been thundering all day to the north, but now only distant mutterings disturbed the mysterious, all pervading chant.

Such a village! Once it was a town of 3,000 happy people. Now the streets are filled with rubbish. Pretty homes have been shattered by shell and dynamite. Parlor furniture is scattered about. Ashes still remain in grates standing among the debris. The streets are untenanted except by sentries and occasional women and children, who by force of habit, hurry singly from cover to cover. There is a faint odor of chemicals. It fills the air. The Germans had been gassing the town during the day.

The Red Cross Angel.

The motor stops. The chauffeuse explains to the sentry that she is bringing officials of the reorganized American Red Cross to the town to remove the little children and women. The chauffeuse says the Red Cross is responding to the first official call from the French government.

The sentry examines the identification card under his hooded sentry light. He salutes, removes his hat and bows low. The captain of the guard arrives. He speaks fair English.

"I have billets for you," he said. "you may rest tonight but in the morning please withdraw from the town. The Boche may gas us again. It is very dangerous here—especially for the little children.

"We Cannot Rest."

"No, we cannot rest tonight," the American nurse said. "We will take the children out tonight to ———," a town some miles to the rear.

"Very well, very good," the captain replied. He turned and summoned five or six poilus.

"What is this peculiar crooning I hear," the American woman asked the captain.

"The children of France," he replied.

"Why are they crooning like that?"

A Miserable Song of Joy.

"Because they have been in caves all day. They are happy because with the French back in this town they don't have to stay in the caves all night. When you see the caves where the babies, boys, girls and women have been compelled to live for two years and a half while the Germans were here you'll understand. It is just as well to visit the caves now as by day, for they are all dark."

Soon the party, equipped with shaded lanterns, stepped through the entrance of one of the shattered houses and down into the cellar. The shades were taken from the lanterns and the entrances to the subterranean galleries were revealed.

The party entered one of these. The passageways led from cellar to cellar, but so intense had the bombardment been that even the cellars provided no shelter, and the women and larger children had hollowed out with their hands individual caves, still deeper in the earth.

New Gas Gags Children.

"We shall not attempt to enter the deeper of these caves," the captain said. "We will merely spread the word of your purpose here and instruct the children to do as you wish. We will gather them south of the town and then you can undertake the trip to ———. But I beg you to hurry. Many little children have lost their lives in the gas attacks. We have made masks for them but the new gas, which the Germans use, gags the children, and they remove their masks in the excitement, despite our warnings. Then they die in convulsions."

The captain halted the party. A poilu lifted his lantern.

An aged woman lying on a cot, her hair disheveled, her face lined with care, looked at the party—stared with startled eyes of flaming coals. She crawled back into the darkness. Two children lay at her feet, not yet asleep.

What War Means to Women.

"The Germans took her two daughters, the captain said. "One was 19 and the other was 22. They kept them in a cave on the other side of the town. The girls endured living torture until children were about to be born to them, when they died. . . Whether by disease, this dirty wretchedness, or by their own hand, I do not know.

"But don't wonder at that, madame. More than a hundred girls had like experiences. Others were killed by bayonets, because they refused the advances of German soldiers. You'll see some babies born within the last eighteen months. Many others died. This is a terrible place to live.

Carried Off Boy Babies.

"You'll not see any baby boys. The Germans sent the baby boys to Germany, although some of them have French fathers. The mothers were allowed only to keep the girl babies."

While the ablebodied women worked in the fields some miles away, ten or fifteen children were placed in charge of each of the aged or incapacitated women in the town. Usually these nurse women were grandmothers over 60 years old.

The party found some babies 2 years old and less, who had never been out of their subterranean birthplaces. They were covered with scales, their skin was red with constant rash.

Their eyes were caked. Their nurses feared to bring them suddenly into the sunlight, because of the danger of blindness.

Everywhere there was vermin, skin and intestinal diseases, malnutrition, and wide opened eyes of months of horror.

Children Like Lambs.

Emerging from the caves in another part of town, the party found itself in a ruins, where about 300 children were scattered about so the shells would not wipe them all out at once. One would not expect these children, who had lived so long in their subterranean homes, to be filled with fear and restraint. Instead, they frisked about like lambs amid the debris of their paternal homes.

In the dusk the children walked—some marched in files—picking their way through piles of stones — not audibly or visibly talking to each other, but all half humming or crooning their monotonous, wordless, pitiful, penetrating sounds — like the winds from the caves. The sounds of the crooning seemed no louder when you were near the children than when you were several hundred yards away.

There was no pitch to the tune, but overwhelming, depressing volume. None of the children smiled.

Children Maimed; Insane.

Some had lost their minds through shell shock and wandered about in isolated spots. Others, maimed by explosions and splinters, or by convulsions caused by inhaled gases, limped about or lay on the banks. Some were startled by strangers. Others seemed dumb to all impressions.

When order for evacuation came there was no joy. The children helped the grandmothers bring from the pits cherished articles saved from their broken homes, which they had dragged into hiding places beyond the reach of the German invaders. Soon all the children were separated into groups under the supervision of Red Cross nurses or native women. Over the hills, away from the muttering cannon, out through the night, the straggling line of the children of France made its way slowly to first base, from where they were to be distributed throughout France.

Produces New Leghorn Breed.

Canton, Oct. 11. — By crossing a black leghorn with a white leghorn nine years ago, Paul E. Gibbs, of this city, is well along on his plan to produce a new breed of egg-laying chicken, a breed which he believes eventually will outstrip all others. In ten years, he says, the fowl will be well developed is a perfect new strain.

The chicken he is developing is called the barred leghorn, the feathers being black and white, and barred as is the barred-rock. It resembles the leghorn in height and weight.

Drafted Man Has Broken Back.

Greensburg, Pa., Oct. 11.—Although his back was broken five years ago, George Whipkey, a farmer, of Laurelville, this county, has been accepted for service in the National army. Whipkey has only a lump now where the vertebrae were dislocated, and he says he is strong enough to make it warm for the Germans.

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36 Head of Cattle—10 head of cows, most all giving milk, 3 are extra high grade Shorthorns and good ones; 1 fat beef cow; 3 yearling steers; 10 yearling heifers, extra good, high grade; 11 spring calves; 1 yearling Shorthorn bull.

Hay—20 tons baled alfalfa hay; about 8 tons baled timothy hay.

71 Head of Hogs—5 brood sows, one with pigs by side. Some of these are registered Poland-Chinas. 65 spring shoats; 1 registered Poland-China boar.

Implements—1 wagon, 1 low steel wagon with bed, spring wagon, carriage, Dane mower, hay derrick, hay rake, bullrake, grapple hay fork, International manure spreader, 1-horse disc grain drill, 1 New Century riding cultivator, good as new, R. I. walking cultivator, John Deere go-devil, used one season, St. Joe lister, 14-inch stirring plow, stalk cutter, double shovel plow, disc harrow with trucks, sweep feed grinder, good sickle grinder, corn sheller, cast bobsled, 2 sets work harness, set driving harness, saddle, 1 bbl Peerless stock powder, 2 50-gallon oil tanks, tank heater.

Some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash. On sums over that amount a credit of 3 or 6 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Nothing to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

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B. A. Cox and Jake Outs

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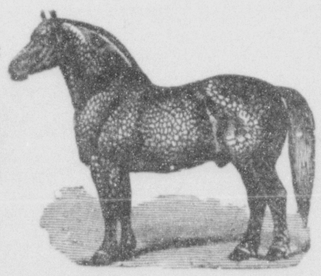

100 Draft Horses weight 1300 to 1800, 5 to 10 years old
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100 Southern Mares, good broke, 4 to 8 years old
100 Mules, any size, big bone.

SHOW THEM TO ME —I HAVE NO AGENTS
READ DATES—BE ON TIME

I will positively be in

GUILFORD,	Wednesday, Oct. 17
ROSENDALE, Forenoon	Thursday, Oct. 18
BOLCKOW, Afternoon	Thursday, Oct. 18
PICKERING, Forenoon	Friday, Oct. 19
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Jim Andy Ford

$101 FOR LOAD OF POULTRY

Mrs. J. W. Knepper's Rhode Island Reds Add Nice Sum to Her "Spending Money" Account.

One of the largest single deliveries of poultry to a local commission house was brought in yesterday by Mrs. J. W. Knepper, who lives southwest of Maryville. She brought in a wagon load containing 126 fowls, receiving in payment for them $101.78. The chickens, Rhode Island Reds, were of unusual weight and brought 20 cents a pound, making an average weight of a little over four pounds. B. A. Frost commission dealer was the purchaser.

High prices for fresh and cured meats has created a large demand for poultry and local dealers have trouble in keeping up with their orders in spite of the fact that Nodaway is one of the banner poultry counties of the state.

Notice to Delinquent Tax Payers.

There are 706 resident tax payers who are withholding personal taxes past due to the city. My contract with the city compels me to sue them. They are a first lien and enforcable at law.

I intend to sue at once. By seeing city collector now, you can save attorney fees and costs.

M. G. TATE,
Tax Collector for City of Maryville.
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Mrs. Charles T. Donovan and Mrs. Fred Donovan of St. Joseph, who have been guests for several days of Mrs. Virgil Keene, returned last night to their homes.

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A SEED CORN CAMPAIGN ON

Field Men From State Agricultural College Give Demonstrations in Counties of State.

Following the increased wheat production campaign which has been under way for several weeks the University of Missouri College of Agriculture has started a seed corn selection campaign as a war emergency measure. Corn is quite as important as a food crop as wheat and an increased acreage and an increased yield will contribute to the successful outcome of the war. Seed corn selection is one of the effective ways in which the yield of corn may be increased.

Ten men were placed in the field October 5. These men arranged a series of dates in North Missouri counties. Following the selection of dates the men began holding meetings in the counties they had visited. They are working in co-operation with county farm bureaus and other farmers' organizations. They will hold from three to five community meetings in each county. Each meeting will comprise at least three sessions. Two of these sessions will be demonstrations of seed corn selection in the field. The other session will be held at night in some place convenient for the whole community.

These men together with the county agents, who will hold meetings in their own counties, will visit more than one hundred counties during the campaign.

Report of Baker School.

Report of Baker school for the month beginning September 3 and ending September 28. Number enrolled, 20; average daily attendance, 19. Those neither tardy nor absent were as follows: Maxine Holt, Bessie Alkire, Willard Hartman, Vernon Colville, Howard Swann, Opal Holt, Frances Calvert, Goldia Alkire, Clara Margaret Hartman, Juvernia Goff, Burdean Russell, Anna Mae Holt and Opal Calvert.—Maude A. Frede teacher

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Canning At Home

Pears.

Canned pears can be served at any time, but they make an especially delicious breakfast fruit.

In order to retain the light color, the fruit should be dropped in slightly salted water immediately after being peeled and cored. Blanch in boiling water one and a half minutes, dip into cold water and pack into jars. Make a syrup of three cups of sugar and two cups of water and pour boiling hot into the packed jars. Put on rubber and partially tighten tops and sterilize for 20 minutes in boiling water or for 12 minutes in a water sealed outfit, or for eight minutes at five pounds steam pressure. Tighten tops and wrap in paper to prevent pears from discoloring and store in a cool place.

Pear Preserves.—The winter pears, or very late fall pears will make better preserves if first cooled in plain water until tender, then placed in syrup and cooked down. In this way they are not strong, have a delicious flavor and are not tough.

To make spiced syrup use the water the pears were boiled in and add equal measure of sugar and cloves, root ginger or sliced lemon to taste. Pack while hot into hot jars and seal at once.

Pear Honey. — Reserve the juice from cooked pears and boil it with cinnamon bark. Before placing it in the jar boil one-fourth of a teaspoonful of cream of tartar in each half-gallons of juice. This is a rich syrup to serve with breakfast cakes.

Quinces.

Every well-balanced fruit shelf should have a supply of canned quinces.

In canning quinces, peel, core and quarter the fruit, removing all defective parts, and drop into slightly salted water to prevent discoloring. Blanch in boiling water one and a half minutes and plunge for an instant into cold water. Pack into hot jars and pour in hot syrup made of three cups of sugar to four cups of water boiled until the sugar is dissolved. Put rubbers on and tops in position and sterilize 20 minutes in boiling water or 12 minutes in a water seal outfit, or eight minutes in steam pressure of five pounds. Remove jars from sterilizer, fasten tops, wrap in paper and store in a cool place.

Quince Jelly.—Wash the fruit, cut into quarters and remove any bad spots. Place in a preserving kettle, add a little water and cook to a pulp. Put the hot pulp into a jelly bag to drain, and to each cup of juice add a cup of sugar. Let the juice boil a few minutes before adding the sugar, then continue boiling until it thickens into drops on the edge of a spoon dipped into it. Pour into hot sterilized glasses and when cool cover with hot paraffin.

Quince Butter. — Select fruit ripe but still firm and do not peel the fruit. Wash thoroughly and quarter and core, and put into a preserving kettle with a little water. Cook to a pulp and put this through a colander. To each cup of pulp use half a cup of sugar and stir constantly while boiling down to desired thickness. Then add spices to tase. Pack in hot sterilized glasses or jars and cover with hot paraffin.

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TOO SUDDEN FOR BULGAR

In Place of Death From Expected Bayonet Thrust He Was Given A Cigarette.

London, Oct. 11.—As evidence that the Germans have taught the Bulgarians that their lives will be forfeited if they are taken prisoners by the British, the following extract from a letter by a British officer on the Saloniki front is published by the Daily Telegraph:

"When we rounded up sixty Bulgarians in an attack recently the poor wretches were utterly terrified. Two or three tried to drown themselves in a pool, while others knelt on the ground making the sign of the cross and waiting an assassin's bayonet thrust or worse.

"One who was a real sportsman kept his head and made a desperate effort to escape, very nearly getting shot, until he saw it was useless, and flinging down his rifle, surrendered to an officer. Beside this officer a Tommy stood watchfully in case the Bulgar was up to any nasty tricks, and the latter seeing this attitude and taking him for his appointed murderer, with a dramatic gesture threw back his head and bared his chest.

He opened his shirt with both hands, then faced the soldier with the bayonet whom he supposed to be waiting for the officers word to run him through.

"Tommy's method of easing the tension was rapid. He brought out his packet of cigarettes and offered one to the Bulgar.

"Up to this moment the Bulgar had been as brave as a lion, but the offer of the cigarette in place of the end of the bayonet was too sudden a change in his outlook. He gave a gasp and sat down trembling, unable to light the cigarette at the match which the soldier was holding ready for him."

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Farmers in Many Communities Operate Fresh Meat Clubs Successfully.

Farmers' beef clubs have been operated in many communities successfully. Sixteen families in a club which runs sixteen weeks makes the best combination. A club in each community will make fresh beef available at reasonable prices. Each family draws by lot, and in turn furnishes a beef animal. An animal is killed each week and cut into sixteen cuts each of which is taken by each member in turn. The University of Missouri College of Agriculture will aid in organizing these clubs if help is desired.

Herefords Bring Fancy Prices.

Tarkio, Mo., Oct. 11.—The great sale of Hereford cattle held by the Rankins of Tarkio came to a close Wednesday. It was one of the best sales ever held in Northwest Missouri. Buyers were here from all sections of the country, and bidding was spirited. The topnotch was reached by the bull "Distributor," which sold for $6,000. Many others were sold for nearly $1,000 each.

Street railway employees at Vancouver, B. C., have received an increase in wages.

Twenty per cent of the munition workers in France are women.

WILL PROBE OIL STATIONS

Complaint Made to State Oil Inspector That Motorists Are Getting Short Measure.

Jefferson City, Oct. 11.—Following charges that many oil-filling stations in Missouri are defrauding automobilists out of thousands of gallons annually through short weight, Omar D. Gray, state oil inspector, today began a state-wide inquiry. His deputies will make a survey of every oil filling station in the state.

The State Oil Inspection Department has been making an investigation of oil-filling stations for several weeks. Deputies have been purchasing the oil and re-measured the liquid without knowledge of the sellers. In 15 cases there was found to be discrepancies in 13 cases. The oil distributors gained from three-quarters to a quart of gas in each purchase of a gallon of gasoline.

It developed the oil-filling machines can be fixed to give any amount of short measurement by slipping small slugs in the mechanism.

The state-wide campaign to begin today will be one of rigid prosecution of all offenders, Gray says.

Five hundred million dollars is said to be the yearly expenditures for drugs in the United States. Since 1880, the expenditure per capita for patent remedies consumed in the United States has risen from 33 cents to $1.54.

The census shows that the United States produces, exclusive of potatoes and sweet potatoes, vegetables to a value of $216,000,000.

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W. C. T. U. Will Elect Officers.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Friday afternoon at the First Methodist church. Election of officers will be held.

Amoma Class Meeting.

The Amoma class of the First Baptist church will hold their regular business meeting Friday night at the church.

Kensington for Mother.

Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend and Mrs. E. L. Townsend entertained this afternoon with a Kensington, in honor of Mrs. Henry Bohm of Denver, Colo., who is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend.

Mrs. Bovard, Hostess.

Mrs. Oliver K. Bovard entertained the members of the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club yesterday afternoon at her home northwest of Maryville. High score was won by Mrs. George Baker.

Queen Esther Circle Meeting.

The Queen Esther circle of the First Methodist church met last Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Helen Dean. A short business session was held, during which plans were made for the coming year. Only the members were present.

Hostess to Penelope Club.

Mrs. O. L. Holmes was hostess yesterday afternoon to the members of the Penelope club which met at her home. Twenty members and one visitor, Mrs. L. A. Maier, were present. At the business meeting officers for the coming year were elected. They were: President, Mrs. W. O. Garrett; secretary, Mrs. Ed Costello, and treasurer, Mrs. Charles McNeal. The hostess was assisted in serving during the social hour by Mrs. James Cook, and Mrs. Gallatin Craig.

Hold All-Day Meeting.

The Ladies Aid society of the Christian church at Graham held an all-day meeting today at the home of Mrs. John Wilson. Mrs. Wilson prepared an elaborate dinner for the members. The day was spent getting ready for the bazaar which will be held in a few days.

Mrs. Farrar, Hostess.

Mrs. M. E. Farrar was hostess to a 12 o'clock dinner given today at her home on North Buchanan street. Plates were laid for: Mrs. Katherine Wood, and daughters Miss Ethel and Mrs. Stewart Farrar and little son, of Volin, S. D., Miss Mildred Young and the hostess.

Sunday Dinner at Gex's.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gex Sr., were host and hostess at a dinner given Sunday at their beautiful home near Graham. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Arch Frank and daughter, Eva Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows and daughter, Emma Ruth, of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Will Mountjoy and sons, Robert and John Edward, Mr. and Mrs. John Gex and son Anthony and daughter, Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Will Gex and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gex Jr., Miss Martha Gex and the host and hostess.

Attend Conference at St. Joseph.

The first annual meeting of the Missouri conference of the Woman's Home Missionary societies of the Methodist churches met October 9 and 10 at the White Temple church in St. Joseph. The delegates from this district were: Mrs. R. D. Corken and Mrs. Yaple of Burlington Junction, and Mrs. R. S. Braniger and Mrs. Emma Eckles of Maryville.

Mrs. Thurkield, the national president, gave an address both Tuesday afternoon and night. On Wednesday morning the election of officers was held. Mrs. L. M. Jones was elected president; vice-president, Mrs. Cameron Harmon, Cameron; treasurer, Mrs. W. B. Christy, Kirksville; recording secretary, Mrs. M. A. Meek, Osborn; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. J. Chase, St. Joseph. This district includes the churches of Maryville, Cameron, Kirksville, Brookfield and St. Joseph. Mrs. R. S. Braniger of Maryville was chosen as a delegate from Maryville to attend the National convention to be held next week in Kansas City.

Will Demonstrate War Bread Saturday at M. E. Church.

Miss Leta Gray, state demonstrator for the Hoover War bread will demonstrate to the Maryville women how to economize in bread making, at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. All the women in town are cordially invited to attend this meeting at the M. E. church. Miss Gray has given a number of talks at the public schools of the county. She will talk at the Highland school, ten miles south of Maryville tomorrow.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Servoss. Eight members were present and after the devotional exercises and business session, a good program was given. Miss Mildred Wolfers gave a reading and Miss Ruth Hopple sang a solo. Readings on different topics were given by different members and a short discussion was indulged in. The next meeting will be with Mrs. T. W. Porter, November 13, 1917.—Hopkins Journal.

Miss Grigsby Married.

The following account of the wedding of Miss Lura Belle Grigsby, formerly of Maryville, is taken from the Sunday edition of the Columbus, Ohio, Dispatch of Sept. 30:

"In a setting of goldenrod, at the home of the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riley Castleman, 161 East Frambes avenue, at two o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 25, the marriage of Miss Lura Belle Grigsby, daughter of Mrs. Frances Grigsby, of Blandinsville, Ill., to Lieutenant D. Lindley Sears, son of Attorney and Mrs. Rufus V. Sears of Bucyrus, was solemnized by Dr. W. O. Thompson, in the presence of twenty-five guests, mostly relatives. The bride wore her traveling suit of blue serge with hat of blue velvet. The couple will go for a brief trip and Lieutenant Sears will then leave either for Camp Mackenzie or Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, before he is assigned to his post of duty in the army. Mr. Adolph Waller of Louisville, a postgraduate at Ohio State University and a fraternity brother of the bridegroom in Phi Delta Theta was best man at the wedding. The bride was unattended and was given in marriage by Mr. Castleman. Lieutenant Sears was graduated from Ohio State university college of law in 1916 and was admitted to the Ohio bar, practicing with the firm of White, Johnson, Cannon & Neff of Cleveland, and resigning to go with the National Guard to the Mexican border, where after a service of nine months, he enlisted in the regular army. He was made provisional second lieutenant in June and after five weeks of training, he was made first lieutenant in the United States Cavalry and has since been stationed at Fort Leavenworth. He expects soon to go into the infantry and to see service in France. The bride was graduated in June, 1917, from Missouri university, receiving a master's degree. She is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority.

PNEUMONIA
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Last Meeting of D. A. R. Unit.

The D. A. R. Surgical Dressings unit will hold their last meeting tomorrow afternoon at the library, before joining the Red Cross organization. A large attendance is desired.

Will Give Program.

The children of the Parnell public school will put on a program Saturday night, the proceeds to go to benefit the school. This program has been postponed from last Saturday.

Left For New York.

Mrs. Robert Wolfers of New York City, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wolfers Sr., of Hopkins, for about three weeks has left for her home. She was accompanied home by Mrs. E. C. Wolfers who will spend the winter in New York.

A. P. Hitzman of Elmo and Charley Teson of Clyde are among the bankers to attend the luncheon given today at the Elks club room.

James Smith, who has been attending the Normal and making his home at the Hotel Bainum, has returned to his home in Ford City, Mo.

Aden D. Owens of Clearmont has enlisted in the infantry, United States army, and will probably leave Saturday for Jefferson Barracks.

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Men's cotton flannel work gloves 95c a dozen.
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Good quality outing flannels in light and dark colors 14c.
9-4 unbleached sheeting 35c a yard.
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Mercerized table damask in two to three yard lengths, 35c yard.
36-inch wool serges in colors, worth 85c a yard for 74c.
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Snider's Chili Sauce, 30c bottle	25c
Large Jar Sweet Pickles	25c
Large Mason Jar Queen Olives	25c
Fresh Figs, per pkg	10c
Large Blue Plums, per basket	25c
Elberta Peaches, for slicing, per basket	20c
8lb Fine Solid Head Cabbage	25c
2 Cans Satisfaction Brand Apricots	35c
25-oz. Cans of K. C., Frontier or Layton's Baking Powder	19c
25c Can Libby's Veal Loaf	19c
4lb Net Weight Pails Velvet Shortening, better than lard	98c
Iten Biscuit Co. Fairy Soda Crackers, 2 pkgs. for	25c
Large pkg. Fresh Stock Quaker Rolled Oats, for	27c
2 pkgs. Grape Nuts	25c
Tall Glass Frantier Brand Mustard	9c

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METERS FOR WATER USERS

Public Works Board Asks Ordinance Doing Away With Furnishing Water on Flat Rate.

In order to conserve the city's water supply the Board of Public Works has asked that an ordinance be prepared requiring that all users of city water use meters. At present a number of water patrons are being furnished water at a flat rate and it is believed that a large amount of waste results. The ordinance will probably be presented at the next meeting of the city council.

The board has as yet taken no action in naming a new superintendent and manager for the water works department, following the resignation of J. H. Martin, Lee O'Grady being in charge temporarily.

Mrs. Wilderman Returns.

Mrs. T. L. Wilderman returned home this noon from a two-months' stay in Denver, Colo.

John Smith, who has been very ill of typhoid fever for forty-one days at his home on East Second street, is slightly improved today.

DRAFT FOR YOUNGER MEN?

Law May Be Passed to Reach Those Who Became of Age Since May 18, Last.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Oct. 11.—Representative Kahn of California, the Republican who led the administration forces in the House when the Army Draft Law was passed, said today a new draft act would have to be passed at the next session of Congress to affect the many young men who have become 21 years of age since May 18, last, and that it probably would amend the existing law so as to register youths from 16 to 17 to become automatically subject to call on reaching 21. Mr. Kahn also said he intended to make a fight for a universal training law and an act to deal with alien slackers without violating treaty obligations.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dixon and son, Mrs. N. C. Shaw and G. R. Bryson, all of Adams, Neb., Leonard Appleby of LuVerne, Minn., and J. Williams and son of Clearmont attended the funeral services of Silas Appleby, which were held yesterday afternoon. Leonard Appleby is a brother of Silas Appleby.

PREPARE FOR THE CRISIS

Every mother awaiting motherhood should get in condition for the crisis.

There is just one thing to do—give nature a helping hand throughout the waiting period.

No time should be lost in beginning the use of the penetrating external preparation, "Mother's Friend". By its use during the period the muscles of the abdomen are made pliable and elastic; they can then expand with ease when baby is born and pain at the crisis is naturally less. Ask for a bottle of "Mother's Friend" at the drug store today and do not go a single night without applying it. Write The Bradfield Regulator Co., Dept. D, 300 Lamar Building, Atlanta, Ga., and they will send you a book of scientifically prepared, practical information, without charge. "Mother's Friend" is composed of such penetrating oils and other ingredients as to make it entirely indispensable to expectant mothers.

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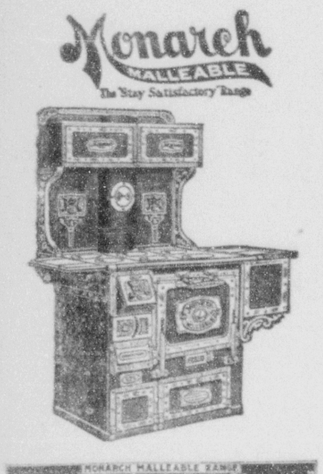

We now have our Stoves and Ranges of all kinds on the floor. They were bought early and bought right. Our Round Oak Stoves and Monarch Ranges can be sold at attractive prices, much less than they are worth today because of materials used to manufacture stoves having gone up in the last few months by leaps and bounds.

These are standard brands and are well known as stoves of sterling quality. Heaters for wood or coal. If you need a range, buy the Monarch, for it is not only delightful when new, but stays satisfactory. The Monarch gives quick service, good baking and saves fuel.

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MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Oct. 11. — CORN — Dec., $1.14; May, $1.08.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Oct. 11.—CATTLE — Receipts, 10,000; steers, $10.00@$16.50; cows, $6.00@$14.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,000; top, $19.25; bulk, $18.25@$19.10.

SHEEP—Receipts, 9,000.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Oct. 11.—CATTLE — Receipts, 12,000; market, weak.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,000; market, 15c lower; top, $19.30.

SHEEP—Receipts, 18,000.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Oct. 11.—CATTLE— Receipts, 3,600; market, 10c lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,000; market, 20c lower; top, $19.20.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,300.

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Butter fat, per lb	45c
Eggs, per dozen	32c
Hens, per lb	20c
Springs, per lb	20c
Hides, per lb	14c
Ducks, per lb	10c
Geese, per lb	8c
Old Roosters, per lb	10c

Mrs. C. P. McCall has returned from a visit with her sons, C. J. and J. F. McCall of Lamar, Colo.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

HOPKINS GETS LAND BANK

The Nodaway County National Farm Loan Association Organized There Wednesday.

D. Ward King, a director of the Land Bank of St. Louis, was in Hopkins today, says this week's Hopkins Journal and an organization was formed here with Henry Russell, president, and David Russell, secretary and treasurer, the object being to get money at a cheap rate of interest direct from the government. Mr. King told a Journal reporter that eighty-seven thousand dollars had already been applied for and that the amount would reach the hundred thousand mark.

It is estimated the 6 per cent will not only pay the interest on money borrowed from this association but in a given number of years will retire the original loan as well, in other words 6 per cent pays the interest as well as part of the principal.

Mrs. Millie Eib of Skidmore is a Maryville visitor today.

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PUBLIC MARKETS IN OTHER LANDS

In Bagdad the Bazaars Look Just As They Did A Thousand Years Ago.

The familiar old nursery jingle, "To market, to market, to buy a pig," has more meaning for the people of the Old World than for us, for the hamlet must be very sparsely populated that does not support at least one public market.

Without it much of the interest in certain cities would be lessened, for it is the market place on market days when and where the inhabitants may be seen.

For many it is the day of days, when they not only trade, but add to their hard-working lives the pleasure they find from dressing in their best and associating with old friends and congenial companions.

In the larger cities the market place lacks in romance what it supplies in facts, but one is as necessary as is the other.

Years ago, in the larger cities of this country, men as well as women went "a-marketing." In Boston, the head of the house, accompanied by a servant, went the rounds of the markets in the city and selected such provisions are were wanted. Nowadays the telephone does the ordering, and the automobile the delivering, the buying being in most cases left to the "autocrat of the kitchen."

In the bazars of Bagdad you will find such a mob as Christ drove from the temple. For 1,000 years bronze men in turbans have bought, bartered, sold, wheedled and cheated in this magic old mart.

In the Shopping Streets.

The shopping streets seem like tunnels; they are arched overhead with brick to keep out the heat. Through the long, stifling, dimly lighted tunnels passes the eternal crowd of humans, mules and camels. On each side are stalls no larger than telephone booths.

Cross-legged in each booth his wares piled high around him, sits the Arab or Jew trader. Brown women, their faces hid by yashmaks, upset the ordered piles of goods and giggle shrilly.

The peddlers have a sense of humor. The flower vender cries, "Appease your mother-in-law;" roast pea sellers sing out, "Mother of two fires," meaning the peas are twice roasted.

There are no traffic rules, the rudest and strongest only move with freedom. Then there are the vagabond dogs, hundreds of whom sleep in the ditch underfoot undisturbed.

In Papiete, one of the South Sea islands, the two covered market buildings are partitioned across with great bunches of oranges, plantains, and many-colored vegetables, hung on strings. You will find the mats, beds and pillows still lying about if you are an early caller, suggesting that the salesmen and women had passed the night among their wares.

Saturday is a half holiday in Hawaii, and all the plantation and mill hands of the nearby towns gallop into Honolulu on horseback, chattering and laughing, dressed in the brightest colors, and covered with flowers.

Fish—raw or cooked—is the staple food of the inhabitants, and almost everybody has a half a dozen or more brilliant members of the finny tribe, wrapped in fresh green banana leaves ready to carry home.

Shrimps are caught both in salt and fresh water, and the natives generally eat them alive. It looks a very nasty thing to do, but, after all, it is not much worse than eating oysters alive.

The market in Singapore is a nice, clean, octagonal building, well supplied with vegetables and curious fruits.

The fish market is situated on a sort of open platform, under a thick thatched roof, built out over the sea, so that all the refuse is washed away with the tide.

The Poultry Market.

The poultry market is a curious place. On account of the intense heat everything is brought alive to the market, and the quacking, cackling, gobbling and crowing is really marvelous. The whole street is alive with birds in baskets, cages and coops, or tied by the legs and thrown down anywhere.

There are curious pheasants and jungle fowl from Perak, doves, pigeons, quail, besides cockatoos, parrots, paroquets and lories. They are all very tame and very cheap.

The market of Yokohoma is one of the sights of the place. There are large quantities of birds and game of all kinds — pheasants with tails six feet long, of a rare copper-colored variety—ducks, pigeons, small birds, hares, deer, rabbits. The fish market is always well supplied, especially with cuttlefish.

Men carry enormous fish on their shoulders, coolies stagger along under the weight of big sharks suspended from bamboo bearing-sticks, and nude runners, laden with live carp that do not make any show of resistance, jostle each other, yelling vociferously.

Place Bab-Suika, Tunis, is one of the most animated scenes in a town where every street teems with life. The great domes of the mosques form a fitting background for a multi-colored throng of moving humanity, so dense that it is difficult to walk about.

M. Sherlock went to St. Joseph on business today.

Frank Gwinn of Bedison is in Maryville today.

Mrs. Will Farnan, west of Maryville, is spending the week with friends and relatives in Conception.

PLANTS NEED WINTER COLD

Exposure to Low Temperature Is Required to Prepare for Another Period of Growth.

The role of winter cold in plant growth has recently been described by Dr. F. V. Coville. After the period of growth in spring and summer there is a period of dormancy before cold weather sets in, and if plants are maintained artificially at a high temperature this dormant period persists. Exposure to cold is needed to activate the plant for another period of growth. Perhaps the liberation of enzymes acts on the stored starches, converting them into sugars, or the phenomenon may be due to a change in the permeability of the cell membrane.

Though normally the stimulus required for a renewal of growth is supplied by cold, mechanical injury or a period of drying may have the same effect. The process occurs independently in any exposed part of a plant, so that if one or two branches of a plant is kept continually warm while the other is subjected to the usual winter chilling, the former will not develop on the return of summer temperatures, though the latter develops as usual. It would be interesting to learn what stimulus takes the place of cold in the equatorial regions.

FREEDOM CAUSE OF INSANITY

Mental Disease Prevalent in Russia After the Revolution Is Termed "Mass Psychosis."

The Russian revolution has produced a mental disease which is characterized by Prof. P. J. Rosenbach, president of the Association of Phychiatrists, as "mass psychosis." In other words, the birth of political freedom has been driving many persons insane. It is a mistake to assume that war makes sane men mad, according to Professor Rosenbach, who says that during the war he has treated between 6,000 and 7,000 insane soldiers, but that in no case did he discover that the victim's mental affliction had been caused by war horrors or privations.

During the first month of the revolution the rate of morbidity from mental disease rose to an astonishing extent. Professor Rosenbach inquired into the victims' antecedents and found, he says, that these men and women had been entirely normal and that they did not come from tainted families. He ascribes their sudden insanity to the sudden and drastic changes in Russian political, social and intellectual life. One of the symptoms of "mass psychosis," he says, is "infatuation with committees, delegations and demonstrations." Similar phenomena were observed during the French revolution after the war of 1870-71, Professor Rosenbach observes.

Russia's Platinum Production.

The production of platinum in the Ural district in Russia in 1916 is estimated by a correspondent of the London Mining Journal at only 78,674 troy ounces, against 107,774 ounces in 1915; 156,774 ounces in 1914, 173,642 ounces in 1913 and 175,381 ounces in 1912. The decrease last year extended to nearly all the districts, but was most marked on the Demidov estates and the Shuvalov placers. The shortage of labor has been one of the causes of the decrease. The fact that all crude platinum is now requisitioned by the government has led, it is believed, to the concealment of some quantities, so that the figures given are below the real output. A considerable quantity of crude platinum is understood to be held by Russian banks, which advanced money to the producers before the metal was taken by the government.

Cave Men in America.

The cave man has long been supposed to have lived only in the old world, and if the term is used to mean the very primitive species of homo sapiens, this is true. Explorations made in Kentucky this year by scientists of the American museum, however, show that primitive men did live in caves in America. In the Mammoth cave and others they found unmistakable evidence that the mouths of the Kentucky caverns were used as dwelling places and that the Indians explored the caves and mined quartz in them. This is especially interesting because it is known that Indians did not live in this region after its discovery by white men. The American cave dwellers, therefore, must have belonged to an earlier period.

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OCTOBER SILK SALE

SILKS offered in this sale are all New Autumn Styles and Shades and are not only the most fashionable but are the most economical dress fabrics for fall

All the wanted colors in the new Satins, new Crepes—wonderful collection of the new fall Fancy Silks, Satin Stripes and Plaids, Satin Twills—All the way through in both plains and fancies will be found. The new colors, Plum, Burgundy, Beet Root, Evergreens, Tapue Joffre Blue, Smoke Taupe. All specially priced to make this our most successful silk sale, and gain new friends for this growing Department in the Fastest Growing Store in Northwest Missouri.

Special value — 36-inch wide TAFFETA in black and colors — at per yard $1.39

40-inch Genuine box loom GEORGETTE, will not slip, all colors, per yard $2.00

36-inch RECEPTION SATIN in all colors, pure dye— per yard $1.59

SPECIAL 40-inch box loom CREPE DE CHINE — A $2.00 value, for per yard $1.50

36-inch Lingerie Silk, colors white and flesh, for camisoles and lingerie, a beautiful silk at economy price—per yard $1.25

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You have to lead a hermit life to get away from the almost daily need of Democrat-Forum Classified Advertising. For it's come to mean real service—to stand for short cuts in so many phases of daily life. Democrat-Forum Classified Ads do more odd jobs than all the odd job men in the city—greater errands than messenger boys—and make sales that cannot be made economically in any other way.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Five 6-foot show cases, two 8-foot wall cases, one large Round Oak heating stove. F. P. Reuillard. P. S.—24-oz. Butter-Nut bread for 15c and 16-oz. Reuillard's Special Bread for 10c. 11-17

FOR SALE—No. 5 Oliver Typewriters, cheap, on monthly payments. J. B. Jones, 418 West Second St. x

BREEDING STOCK FOR SALE — Choice lot of February and March male pigs, and gilts of the same farrow. Write or call A. B. Dowden, Maryville, Mo., Farmers phone 1-13. 25tf.

FOR SALE — Jonathan apples, 6 miles south of town. Phone R. M. Evans, Arkoe. 10-16

FOR SALE—4 Poland-China boars $40 each. Roy DeBord, Farmers phone 23-17. 11-13*

FOR SALE—Onions. Will deliver Friday. B. R. Embree, Hanamo phone 3F. 9-11*

SHOATS—25 or 30 head for sale at 18c per lb., if taken in next few days. In fine condition and will average about 65 lbs. No delivery. C. D. McKibban. 10-12

WANTED

WANTED—To repair and recharge your storage batteries. Rental batteries for you car while yours is being repaired. Exchange your old batteries in on new ones. Willard Storage Battery Service Station, both phones. J. L. Fisher. 9tf.

WANTED—Married man to work on farm. Chas. Tabler, Far. 6-11; Han. 4236. 11-13*

WANTED—Apple pickers. Furnish transportation to and from orchard. Farmers phone 8-17. 10-12*

WANTED—Small heating stove and cupboard. Call Hanamo 4174. 9-11

WANTED—Couple furnished rooms for light housekeeping within one or two blocks of Veterinary hospital. Inquire of Harry Merrifield. 9-11

WANTED—Work on farm by young married man. Would consider running 160 or more acres by month; also shuck corn by bushels or month. Address K, care Democrat-Forum. 10-12*

Found.

FOUND—Gray saddle horse, with saddle and bridle. 6 miles east and 1 mile north of Maryville. Joe Brant. 9-11*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One 160-acre and one 200-acre farm, improved. See Allen Bros. 10-12

FOR RENT—7 room house, modern. Northeast Maryville. John Hansen. 9-11*

FOR RENT—In private home, 2 rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 119 So. Fillmore. Farmers phone 180. 9-11

PASTURE TO LET—120 acres. Had nothing on since August. Good water. Call Hanamo 605, Farmers 14. 9-11*

FOR RENT—Six room cottage with bath, light and water, four extra rooms in basement. Also five room flat, water and light, over Gabe Allen's store. S. H. Kemp. 10-12

FOR RENT—Modern residence on corner lot, 8 rooms, bath, oak finish downstairs, hot water, electric light, cement basement, garage and laundry room in basement, large closets and pantry, sleeping porch, and other conveniences. Mrs. G. A. Nash, Hanamo phone 10. 11-12

LOST

LOST—Child's crocheted robe. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 11-13*

LOST—Rubber overcoat, between the high school and court house. Leave at this office and get reward. 10-12*

MISCELLANEOUS

I HAVE BEGUN dressmaking again and will be pleased to meet my friends. Mrs. Belle Hughes, 504 North Buchanan. 11-13*

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Hanamo 46.

SPIRELLA CORSETS—Mrs. Henry Cook, 221 West 3rd street, resident corsetiere, has just received new and complete line of fall models. Your patronage solicited. Both phones. 9-11

CHANCE TO MAKE EXTRA MONEY—You can add $25.00 to $50.00 a month to your income in your spare time. Our money-saving plan is a winner for either men of women. We furnish outfit free and teach you how to use it. Send postal at once for "Particulars of the Money-Making Plan." Act promptly before the vacancy is filled in your territory. Address Publisher, Box 155, N. Times Square Station, New York City.

Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Riley and Miss Besse Graham of Clyde were in Maryville yesterday.